

## Message Text

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R 140413Z JUL 77  
FM AMEMBASSY TEHRAN  
TO USDOC WASHDC  
INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 3543

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E.O.11652: N/A  
TAGS: BBSR, IR  
SUBJ: WTDR/FTI

REF: USDOC 10024

1. IRAN 2. CNTRY CODE: 507 3. SER NO: 4. HYDROSPHERE CO. LTD.  
4A. CODE: K 4B. CODE: A 4C. CODE:  
5. NO. 60 ARAK ST. VILLA AVENUE  
6. TEHRAN, IRAN  
7. ESTABL: 1975 8. EMPL: 5 9. SIZE: (20-X) MEDIUM  
10. REPUTATION: (UNK) INKNOWN  
11. SELLS ITS PRODUCTS THROUGHOUT IRAN AND PROVIDES SERVICES  
FOR ITS IMPORTED PRODUCTS  
12. RPT. DATE: 7/77  
13A. 35334/25 AGT.IMP. OF WATER WELL DRILLING EQUIPMENT  
14. CONTACT: AHMAD GHOJALU TLTL: PRESIDENT  
15. CABLE: HYDROSPHERE 16. TELEX: NA 17. TEL: 896219  
18. FINANCIAL REFS: BANK MELLI IRAN: BANK BIMEH IRAN  
19. TRADE REFS: SAME AS (20)  
20. AGENCY REPS: GEORGE E. FALING, OKLAHOMA, DRILLING RIGS;  
LOG MASTER, OKLAHOMA, ELECTRICAL LOGGING EQUIPMENT: ACKER DRILL  
CO. PA., CORE DRILLING REGS.  
21. FIRM WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1975 TO IMPORT WATER  
WELL DRILLING EQUIPMENT AND PROVIDES ENGINEERING  
SERVICES FOR ITS IMPORTED PRODUCTS. IT SI MANAGED  
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BY AHMAD GHOJALU, MANAGING DIRECTOR AND MAHMUD LAMEII.  
REGISTERED CAPITAL OF FIRM IS 7.5 MILLION RIALS AND  
COMPANY REPORTS ITS WORKING CAPITAL AT 50 MILLION  
RIALS AND ANNUAL SALES VOLUME AT 30 MILLION ORIALS.  
BANKING SOURCE RELUCTANT TO RATE REPUTATION BECAUSE  
OF FIRM'S RECENT ESTABLISHMENT. EMBASSY CONSIDERS FIRM  
A POTENTIAL TRADE CONTACT BUT DUE TO RECENT ESTABLISH-

MENT AND LACK OF BANK RATING TRADE SHOULD BE CONDUCTED  
ON SECURED BASIS IN INITIAL STAGES.

22. PREPARED BY: H.TUTUNCHIAN APPROVED BY: DAVID E. WESTLEY  
AT AMEMBASSY TEHRAN.  
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